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PART VI.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification, dated the 24th September 1932.

The attention of the share holders in the Inam Village Kirinelli, is invited to the detailed notification, published on page 947, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 1st September 1932, calling for applications with documentary evidence to prove their right for the value of the sandalwood removed from the said village within three months, from the date of the said notification.

C. A. JABBAR,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 20th September 1932.

It is hereby notified for the general information of the public that the auction sale of the right of collecting and removing dry, dead and fallen timber in the Forests of the Agumbe Range for the year 1932-33 will be sold in public auction at Agumbe by the District Forest Officer at 3 P.M., on the 25th October 1932. Please see page No. 1063 and 1064, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 29th September 1932 for detailed Notification.

B. MADHAVA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA DIVISION.

Notification dated 10th October 1932.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Minor Forest Produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations for two years from the date of Mahal Kavals, State June 1934, will be sold talukwar by public auction, on the dates and at the places specified below :—

Taluk comprised	Place of sale	Date of sale	Officer conducting the sale
Shimoga District— 1. Kumsi Sub-Taluk 2. Tirthahalli Taluk	District Forest Office, Shimoga.	7th November 1932, Monday.	Deputy Commissioner or any other officer deputed by him with the help of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga.

Remarks.—Excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandayam and other lands, which are in the occupancy of private individuals as well as Village "Amarayi" which is sold separately by the Amildar in the Revenue Department.

Village Amarayi consists of the following ten kinds of produce found in the assessed waste, gomal, kharab lands, gavatana and other lands set apart for communal purposes :—

(1) Hunse, (2) Mavu, (3) Seege, (4) Cocoanut, (5) Hippe, (6) Neralu, (7) Halasu, (8) Jali, (9) Honge seeds and leaves and (10) Byala.

N.B.—(1) The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

Description of produce.

Tamarind fruit	Kan-pepper	Chilladabija
Seegekayi	Marsani buds	Chagachebija
Gum	Halmaddi	Guggula
Honey	Hulgal seeds	Nim seeds
Bees-wax	Cinnamon seeds	Cashewnut
Kapilarang	Vatehuli	Pappalichakke
Gerubija or marking nut	Bende fibre	Hippe seeds
Wood apple	Wild olive	Mango fruits
Lichens	Silk cotton	Kalluhuvu
Maradipoppu or charpoppu	Kirichal (State Forest)	Makliberu (State Forest)
Horns	Pith do	Sogadeberu do
Hides	Lin seed	Kakkekayi
Tarikayi	Bolar bark	Somechekke
Kanchagache	Pot stone	Lebi fruit
Gall-nut	Rampatre or Kanpatre	Inglara
Antavaladakai	Jungle saffron	Nili seeds
Guricharlu	Patanga	Nux vomica
Wild castor seeds (State Forests).	Bones	
	Maddi	

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day, it will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he (i) produces a certificate from the Amildar of the taluk in which he resides in regard to his solvency and its extent or an exchange certificate as provided in clause 5 and (ii) deposits also with the officer holding the sale a sum of Rs. 200 which must be in the form of cash or currency notes.

Note.—In the case of taluks where the Minor Forest Produce revenue may not fetch more than Rs. 200, a sum of Rs. 50 only should be deposited with the sale conducting officer.

5. The highest bidder shall deliver his solvency certificate to the officer conducting the sale and get in exchange if he so desires; a certificate signed by the latter which will be a sufficient authority for him to bid at auction sales in any one of the remaining divisions. This exchange certificate shall be delivered to the officer conducting the sale in case the party named therein happens to be the highest bidder obtaining in lieu thereof if he wishes a fresh exchange certificate for his use. The exchange certificate will contain all the particulars found in the Amildar's certificate with the details of purchase made in the sales of other divisions as well as in the one in which the exchange certificate is sought for. The deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned immediately after the sale.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the Chief Conservator of Forests and the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The successful bidders shall, immediately after the close of the sale, credit into the Government Treasury one-quarter of the total sale amount including the 'deposit' already made together with local, railway and cesses on the entire lease amount at the rates prevailing in the District. In default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resales will be at the risk of the defaulting purchasers who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government but will have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses will be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the authority concerned, all moneys paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the successful bidder shall execute an agreement with one or more sureties to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer on a stamped paper of proper value procured at his own cost, and also furnish security deposit of Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less, for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit.

In default either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required security or both, the contract will be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the three-fourths of the original sale amount. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation or any other law in force for the time being.

Note.—(i) The solvency and the respectability of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

(ii) A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices.

10. The balance of the three-fourths of sale amount will be paid in three equal instalments as follows :—

First khist	on or before	1st November 1932.
Second	do	1st March 1933.
Third	do	1st July 1933.

In default to pay the instalments on due dates, the contract will be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government less the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom, which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law in force for the time being.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are :—

(*a*) The lessee, his maistries or servants shall not cut or injure any tree in any way on the plea of collecting the produce.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the produce.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sublet it to others without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests. If any sub-lessees are approved, such sub-lessee shall not further sublet it without previous sanction.

(*d*) The coolies employed by the lessee or sub-lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

(*e*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the produce collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction within the area referring to the lease, and the Officers of the Revenue and the Police Departments of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspectors respectively.

(*f*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer an account of the number of cart-loads of the produce collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the produce under his signature. In the latter case, each cart-load must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District Forest Officer impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer through the Range Forest Officer and fresh supply obtained.

Note.—(1) Forest Forms 84 and 85 shall be used.

(*h*) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the Forests in which they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally. They will be liable also, under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract.

(*i*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall remove out of the limits of the taluk before the 30th June 1934 all the produce collected and stored under the terms of the lease.

(*j*) Neither the lessee nor sub-lessee, nor his employees, shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*k*) No collection of the Minor Forest Produce will be permitted in the State Forests during the fire season, *i.e.* from the 15th February to the end of April of each year.

(*l*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised rights of Inamdars.

(*m*) The lessee or sub-lessee has no right to the produce or trees on occupied lands and the Village Amarai as detailed in para 1 above.

(*n*) No damage will be caused to the trees while collecting the Minor Forest Produce and any such damage will be assessed by the Range Forest Officer, which will be approved by the District Forest Officer. The District Forest Officer's decision in the assessment of the damages will be final. The assessed damages will be recovered from the security deposit of the lessee.

(*o*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall hold himself responsible for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

11. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, or the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga or the Chief Conservator of Forests as the case may be. In the case of mere forfeiture of the deposit amount, in part, or in full, the difference will be made good immediately by the contractor, and if not, the lease will be cancelled and resold at the risk of the original purchaser who will be liable for any loss which will become recoverable as an arrear of land revenue but not participate in any profits.

Notification dated 12th October 1932.

Sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga for the making of the Gadies and Gadelas and leather collars for the use of the Departmental Elephants up to 5th November 1932.

2. The tender should be superscribed "Tender for the making of Gadi, Gadelas and Collars". The rate for each article or item should be distinctly written in words as well as in figures. Each tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 25 in currency notes.

3. The District Forest Officer, Shimoga, does not bind himself to accept or reject the lowest or any other tender or to assign any reason therefor.

4. The deposit relating to rejected tenders will be returned.

5. The successful tenderer will be required to execute immediately after the intimation of acceptance of the tender reaches him an agreement in the required form on a stamped paper of proper value to be produced at his own cost If the tenderer fails to execute the

agreement, the amount of Deposit accompanying the tender will be forfeited and the contract cancelled.

6. The work should be completed by the end of December 1932.

7. The probable quantities of cloth, etc., required for making the above articles are furnished below:—

Names of articles	No. of set	Quantity	Rate
			Rs.
GADIES AND GADELAS.			
1. Gunny pieces for Gadi and Gadela 5½ pieces for each set	9 ..	49½ pieces	
2. Kamblies for Gadela	9 ..	9	
3. Twine 3 seers for each set	9 ..	27 seers	
4. Khadder or drill cloth 5 yards each	9 ..	45 yards	
5. Cocoanut fibre 1½ maunds each	9 ..	13½ maunds	
6. Suthly 3 seers each	9 ..	27 seers	
7. Stitching charges	for 9	sets.	
LEATHER COLLARS.			
1. Leather 12 lbs. for each	10 collars ..	120 lbs.	
2. Gunny bags 1 each	10 do ..	10 bags	
3. Hemp ½ maund each	10 do ..	5 maunds	
4. Leather lace 1 lb., each	10 do ..	10 lbs.	
5. Stitching charges for each collar..	....	....	

MOHAMED PIR,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 24th September 1932.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification, dated the 24th September 1932, *re* the sale of Honge leaves and seeds of Bhadravati Division published on pages 1065 and 1066, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 29th September 1932.

Abstract Notification dated 10th October 1932.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification of date *re*: the sale of Muthuga Leaves published on pages 1115—1116, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 13th October 1932.

H. S. RANGACHAR,
District Forest Officer.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification dated 2nd October 1932.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification, dated the 2nd October 1932, published on pages 1114, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated the 13th October 1932, regarding the sales of Canes and Wood Oil in the Ghat Forests of Manjarabad Range, Hassan District, to be held at Saklespur on the 22nd October 1932.

SALE OF STANDING TIMBER.

Notification dated 11th October 1932.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to cut and remove timber in the undermentioned Forests of the Hasan District for the year 1932-33, will be sold by public auction by the Range Forest Officer, Hassan, on the dates and places and subject to the conditions mentioned below.

The sale will commence at 2 P.M. precisely and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, in case of bids of Rs. 1,000 and below and of the Conservator of Forests in other cases.

Name of Range	Name of forest	Kind of timber	Quantity in C.ft.	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
Hassan	(1) Ner lamaradahalli District Forest.	Teak ..	200 c.ft- ..	Hagare T. B. ..	21st November 1932	More or less
	(2) Seegadagudda State Forest.	Do ..	200 ,, ..	Do ..	Do	
	(3) Heddurga District Forest.	Do	200 ,,	Palya T. B. ..	24th November 1932	

N. B.—It should be clearly noted that the contractor should make his own arrangements for the removal of timber from the coupes and that the Forest Department will not undertake any responsibility in the matter of opening of roads, etc.

2. Each bidder shall, before he is permitted to bid, be required to furnish a solvency certificate as under the Tangadi Sale Rules and deposita sum of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale, if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall, immediately after the close of the sale, pay 25 per cent of the bid amount less the deposit already paid, failing which, the right will be resold or worked departmentally at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or departmental working which will be recoverable from him as arrears of Land Revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. All timber-yielding trees marked by the department will be sold kindwar for a lumpsum amount for the whole coupe.

5. Power is reserved to the officer, conducting the sale to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale the person whose bid is accepted shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 or 25 per cent of the sale amount, whichever is less, for each coupe as security towards the due fulfilment of his contract. He shall also pay within that period the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and shall execute an agreement on a stamped paper of proper value, accepting the above terms and the terms specified below, failing which, the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked departmentally at his risk as noted in clause (2) ***supra***. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself.—

(*a*) That he shall fell and remove the timber trees purchased by him before the 15th June 1933.

(*b*) That he shall make the fellings of the trees in a methodical manner from one side, of the coupe.

(*c*) That each consignment of timber shall be covered by a passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf.

(*d*) That if any tree, shrub or growth reserved by the department is cut, he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*e*) That he shall abide by the rules of the department as regards the kindling of the fire and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*f*) That no operation shall take place in the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*g*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the coupe and over the timber paid for but left unremoved in any of the coupes, after the 30th June 1933.

(*i*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of trees felled and the out-turn of fuel resulting therefrom and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*j*) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing the contractor, a notice of the cancellation of the contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right of working it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (2) ***supra***. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

SALE OF STANDING TIMBER.

Notification dated 11th October 1932.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to cut and remove timber in the undermentioned forests of the Hassan District during the year 1932-33 will be sold by public auction by the Range Forest Officer, Arsikere, on the dates and places and subject to the conditions mentioned below.

The sale will commence at 2 P.M. precisely and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer in case of bids of Rs. 500 and below and of the Conservator of Forests, in other cases.

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Name of felling	Name of working Circle	Kind of timber	Quantity in C.ft.	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
Arsikere	Kankatte Amrut Mahal Kaval.	Karekal ..	..	Bevur ..	175 C.ft	Arsikere ..	7th November 1932.	Mere or less
	Hirekalgudda Kodihalli plantation		..	Teak logs and tops	100 ,,			
				Casurina	18 trees			

N.B.—It should be clearly noted that the contractor should make his own arrangements for the removal of timber from the coupes and that the Forest Department will not undertake any responsibility in the matter of opening of roads, etc.

2. Each bidder shall, before he is permitted to bid, be required to furnish a solvency certificate as under the Thangadi Sale Rules and deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale; the deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall immediately after the close of the sale pay 25 per cent of the bid amount less the deposit already paid, failing which, the right will be resold or worked departmentally at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or departmental working which will be recoverable from him as arrears of land revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. All timber yielding trees marked by the department will be sold kindwar for a lumpsum amount for the whole coupe.

5. Power is reserved to the Range Forest Officer to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale the person whose bid is accepted, shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (fifty) or 25 per cent of the sale amount, whichever is less, for each coupe as security towards the due fulfilment of his contract. He shall also pay within that period the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and shall execute an agreement, on a stamped paper of proper value, accepting the above terms and the terms specified below, failing which the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked departmentally at his risk as noted in clause (2) *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself:—

(*a*) That he shall fell and remove the timber trees purchased by him before the 15th June 1933.

(*b*) That he shall make the fellings of the trees in a methodical manner from one side of the coupe.

(*c*) That each consignment of timber shall be covered by a passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf.

(*d*) That if any tree, shrub or growth reserved by the department is cut, he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*e*) That he shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of the fire and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*f*) That no operation shall take place in the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*g*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the coupe and over the timber paid for but left unremoved in any of the coupes, after the 30th June 1933.

(*i*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of trees felled and the out-turn of fuel resulting therefrom and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*j*) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor, a notice of the cancellation of the contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (2) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

SALE OF FUEL TREES.

Notification dated 11th October 1932.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to cut and remove casuarina and other trees in the undermentioned coupes in the following State Forests of the Hassan District, for the year 1932-33 will be sold by public auction by the Range Forest Officer, Hassan, on the dates and places and subject to the conditions mentioned below :—

The sale will commence at 10 A.M. precisely on each day and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, in case of bids of Rs. 1,000 and below and of the Conservator of Forests in other cases.

Name of Range	Name of forest or plantation	No. of dry trees or poles (casuarina trees)	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
Hassan ..	Hagare ..	5	Hagare ..	21st November 1932 ..	50 trees of Byala Forest is the balance of previous year.
	Gadanahalli ..	6	Gadenahalli ..	28th do ..	
	Gubbi ..	10	Gubbi	26th do ..	
	Hongere ..	8	Grama	22nd do ..	
	Byala ..	50	Alur ..	20th do ..	

N.B.—It should be clearly noted that the contractor should make his own arrangements for the removal of fuel from the coupes and that the Forest Department will not undertake any responsibility in the matter of opening of roads, etc.

2. Each bidder shall, before he is permitted to bid, be required to furnish a solvency certificate as under the Thangadi Sale Rules and deposit a sum of Rs. 10 (rupees ten) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale; the deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall, immediately after the close of the sale, pay 25 per cent of the bid amount less the deposit already paid, failing which, the right will be resold or worked departmentally at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or departmental working which will be recoverable from him as arrears of Land Revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the Department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. All fuel yielding trees except those reserved by the department will be sold for a lumpsum amount for the whole coupe.

5. Power is reserved to the officer conducting the sale to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale, the person whose bid is accepted, shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) or 25 per cent of the sale amount, whichever is less, for each coupe as security towards the due fulfilment of his contract. He shall also pay, within that period, the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and shall execute an agreement, on a stamped paper of proper value, accepting the above terms and the terms specified below, failing which, the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked departmentally at his risk as noted in clause (2) *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself :—

(*a*) That he shall fell and remove the fuel trees purchased by him before the 15th June 1933.

(*b*) That he shall make the felling of the trees in a methodical manner from one side of the coupe coppicing the stumps of the trees felled, leaving the standard trees marked on the area intact along with all the trees less than one foot in girth, trees yielding Minor Forest Produce and all trees, shrubs, and thorny growths, that are coming up within a radius of six feet from sandal trees and saplings.

(*c*) That each consignment of fuel shall be covered by a passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf.

(*d*) That if any tree, shrub or growth reserved by the Department as noted in clause (*b*) *supra* is cut, he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*e*) That he shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of the fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*f*) That no operations shall take place in the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*g*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the coupes and over the fuel paid for but left unremoved in any of the coupes after the 30th June 1933.

(*i*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of trees felled and the outturn of fuel resulting therefrom and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*j*) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor, a notice of the cancellation of the contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (2) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

A. V. KESHAVA IYENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, NEW BANGALORE WATER WORKS DIVISION, NEW RESERVIOR, THIPPAGONDANAHALLI.

Notice.

1. Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders for the supply of best hydraulic kankar will be received up to 2-30 P.M. on the 7th November 1932 at the Office of the Executive Engineer, New Bangalore Water Works Division, Thippagondanahalli.

2. The supply which will approximetely be 3000 C.yds. but not guaranteed will be spread over a period of 3 months from the date of acceptance of the tender and the monthly supply should not fall short of 1000 C.yds. in any month. The progress of supply shall be reckoned 15 days after the date of agreement.

3. The kankar shall be quarried from the recognised lime stone quarries in Seringapatam and Mandya Taluks of Mysore District or other equally good kankar lime quarries in the vicinity. It should be distinctly understood that no stuff brought from quarries situated outside the State will be accepted.

4. The rate per C.yd. which should be written in both words and figures should be for delivery at the site in stacks and should cover charges for quarrying, collecting, carting and loading into railway waggons, freight charges to Bangalore City Station and delivery at site including payment of royalty and toll charges *en route*.

5. The kankar brought to the site shall be formed into uniform heaps in the places allotted each measuring 10 x 3 x 1 yds. or lengths in multiples of 15 feet or 5 yards.

6. The kankar will be examined carefully at the site by the Officer in charge of the Works and all bad stuff rejected and removed at the contractor's cost.

7. The measurements passed by the Officer in charge shall be verified by the Executive Engineer who shall make any deduction necessary for dust or inferior stones which may vary from 8 to 15 per cent.

8. Each tender which shall be sealed and superscribed " Tender for supply of Hydraulic Kankar " should be accompanied by an earnest money of Rs. 500 in cash or Government pronotes.

9. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Chief Engineer who does not bind himself either to accept in full or part or reject any or all tenders.

10. The acceptance of the tenders will be notified at the Office of the Executive Engineer and no replies will be given to enquiries regarding the acceptance or rejection of any tenders.

11. The earnest money of the unaccepted tenders will be returned to the parties in due time.

12. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to enter into an agreement with the Department, in default of which, his tender will be considered cancelled and his earnest money will be forfeited to Government.

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